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THE UNDERTAKER'S CHAT.

"Now, that corpse," said the undertaker, patting the folded hands of the deceased approvingly, "was a brick-every way you took him he was a brick. He was real accommodating, and so modest-like and simple in his last moments. Friends wanted metallic burial case—nothing else would do. I couldn't do it.
There warn't going to be time—any body could see that. Corpse said never mind; shake him up some kind of a box he could stretch out in comfortable; he warn't particular 'bout the general style of it. Said he went more on room than style, anyway, in a last final container. Friends wanted a silver door plate on the coffin to signify who he was or whar he was

"Now you know a fellow couldn't roust out such a gally thing as that in a little country town like this. What did Corpse say? Corpse said whitewash his old canoe and daub his address and general distinction into it with a blacking-brush and stencil-plate, 'long with a verse from some likely hymn or other, and p'nt for the tomb, and mark him C. O. D., and let him flicker. He warn't distressed any more than you be -on the contrary, just as calm and collected as a hearse horse; said he judged that where he was going to a body would find it considerable better to attract attention by a picturesque moral character than a natty burial case with a swell door-plate on it. Splendid man he was; I'd ruther do for a corpse like that'n any I've tackled in seven years.

"There's some satisfaction in buryin' a man like that. You feel that what you're doing is appreciated. Lord bless you, so's he got planted before he spiled he was perfectly satisfied; said his relations meant well-perfectly wellbut all them preparations were bound to delay the thing more or less, and he didn't wish to be kept lyin' round; you never see such a clear head as he had -and so calmly and so cool. Just a hunk of brains-that is what he was. Perfectly

"It was a ripping distance from one end of man's head to t'other. Often and over again he's had brain fever a raging in one place, and the rest of the pile didn't know anything about it—didn't affect it any more than an Injun in-surrection in Arizona affects the Atlantic States. I gloom and forebodings of evil, all of which are the offspring of a diseased Liver. surrection in Arizona affects the Atlantic States. Well, the relations, they wanted a lurid funer- FOR DYSPEPSIA or INDIGESTION. al, but corpse said he was down on hit mourners-didn't want any procession-fill the hearse full of mourners and got out a sternline and tow him behind. He was the most down on style of any remains I ever struck. A beautiful, simple-minded creature-it was what he was, you can depend on that. He was just set on having things the way he wanted them, and he took solid confort in laying his little plans.

"He had me measure him, and take a whole raft of directions; then he had the minister stand up behind a long box with a table cloth over it to represent the coffio, and read his funeral sermon, saying, 'Angeore, angeore?' at the good places, and making him scratch out every bit of brag about him, and all the highfalutin; and then he made him trot out the choir, so's he could help pick out the tunes for the occasion, and he got them to sing 'Pop Goes the Weasel,' because he'd always liked that tune when he was down-hearted, and 'solemn music made him sad; and when they sung that with tears in their eyes (because they loved him), and his relations grieved around, he just laid there as happy as a bug trying to beat time and showing all over how much he enjoyed it and presently he got worked up and excited, and tried to join in, for mind you, he was pretty proud of his ablities in the singing line; but the first time he opened his mouth and was going to spread himself, his breath took a

"I never see a man snuffed out so sudden. Ah, it was a great loss to this poor one horse town. Well, well, I ain't got time to be palavering along here-got to nail on the lid and mosey along with him; and if you'll just give me a lift, we'll shut him in the hearse and meander alone. Relations bound to have it so -don't pay no attention to dying injunctions, minute a corpse's gone; but I had my way; if I didn't respect his last wishes, I'll be cuss'd. I consider that whatever a corpse wants done for his comfort is a little enough matter, and a man am't no right to deceive him, or take advantage of him; and whatever a corpse trusts me to do, I am going to do, you know, even if it is to stuff him and paint him yeller, and keep him for a keepsake you hear me?'

He cracked his whip and weat lumbering along with his ancient ruin of a hearse, and I continued my walk with a valua ble lesson learned-that a healthy, wholesome cheerfulness is not necessarily impossible to any occupation. The lesson is likely to be lasting, for it will take many months to obliterate the memory of the remarks and the circumstances that im-

OPIUM CULTIVATION IN CHINA.-The Pall Mall Gazette says: "Opium cultivation is making such progress in China that it seems. likely seriously to affect the importation of the drug from India. The consumption of nativegrown opium has also, says Consul Medhurst, in his commercial report on Shangha just issued, of late largely increased, whereas the import of the Indian drug has been stationary or nearly so for several years past. The usual edicts deprecating the cultivation of such a aernicions drug at the expense of cereals and other crops, and prohibiting its culture under heavy penalties, has continued from time to time, and influential Chinese functionaries have not failed, as heretofore, to urge the crown to take steps towards rescuing the country from the too certain ruin which must be the consequence. But all to no purpose; the drug is so highly prized as an alterative, and the desire for it as a sedative is so general among all classes, while the local executives, are everywhere so easily bribed into a connivance, that the cultivation is persisted in and it will no doubt continue to extend until effects are produced which must eventually exercise a vital influence upon the interest of the country at large. The supply from India has for TONS.

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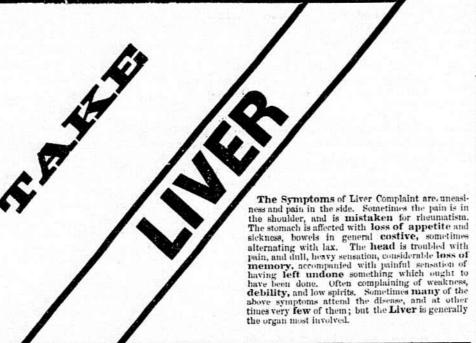
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excellent remedy, and certainly a public blessing."-C. Masterson, Bibb county, Ga. My Wife.

"My wife and self have used the Regulator "I think Simmons' Liver Regulator one

wife, and many others, have used it with wonderful effect."-E. Sparks, Albany, Ga. M. D.

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DENTAL CARD.

Flour.

During my absence from this city as Professor of Dental Mechanism in the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, my practice here will be in charge of Dr. D. N. BUST, whose long association with me renders any endorsement of his ability on my part unnecessary. The liberal favor shown me in the past I bespeak for him, assuring my friends and patients that he is in every sense worthy of it.
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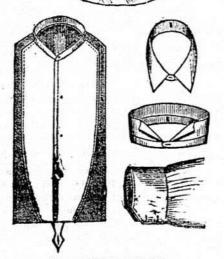
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AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

SALE OF A BRICK DWELLING AND
LOT OF GROUND—By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., at its March term, 1875, in the cause of James M. Steuart, Sergeant, Committee of James H. Biggs, the undersigned will offer for sale, by public auction, in front of the Market House Building, on Fairfax st., on TUESDAY, the 6th day of April, 1875, at 12 o'clock m., the LOT OF GROUND, with the two-story BRICK DWELLING thereon, situated on the west side of Alfred street. between Cam-

on the west side of Alfred street, between Cameron and Queen streets, belonging to said James H. Biggs.

Terms of Sale: One half of the purchase money in cash, and the other half in six months, with interest from the day of sale; the bonds of the purchaser to be taken, with good security, and the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

JAS. M. STEUART,

mh 16-eots Sergeant, Committee.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its June term, 1873, in the suit of Ross' adm'r. vs. Ross' heirs, the undersigned, commissioner in said decree named, will, on MONDAY, the 19th day of April, 1875, will, on MONDAY, the 19th day of April, 1875, Court day, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Court House door of said county, sell to the highest bidder, at public sale, all the REAL ESTATE of which H. M. Ross died seized, (except the widow's dower) containing 193 23 160 acres.—This land adjoins the lands of Wm. F. Lee and the late Samuel Wrenn, and lies west of the Chantilly farm; has thereon a SMALL HUUSE, is heavily wooded and well was tered. Being divided by the county road leading from the ox road to the county road, near W. F. Lee's, into two parts of nearly equal size, it will be sold separately.

it will be sold separately.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, and the title to be retained until the last resyment is made.

until the last payment is made.

THOMAS MOORE,
Fairfax co., mh 15-wts Comm'r. of Sale. By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF
ALEXANDRIA, VA., AND IN FAIRFAX
COUNTY, VA.—Pursuant to a decree of the
Circuit Court for the city of Alexandria, Va.,
rendered at the September term, 1874, thereof,
in the suit of Stover vs. Irwin, etc., the subscribers as commissioners of sale, appointed by the

in the suit of Stover vs. Irwin, etc., the subscribers, as commissioners of sale, appointed by the said decree, will offer for sale at public auction, on THURSDAY, the 15th day of April, 1875, at 12 m., in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property, to wit:

No. 1—A TRACT OF LAND, in Fairfax county, Virginia, near the property formerly known as "Cloud's Mill," and about four miles from the city of Alexandria and one mile north of the Little River Turnpike, containing 331 acres. This tract of lands adjoins the land of George Auld and others.

George Auld and others.

No. 2—A LOT OF GROUND, with the
BUILDINGS thereon, situated at the
southwest intersection of Prince and Alfred sts., in the city of Alexandria, Va., in front on Prince street 123 feet 5 inches, and extending southwardly in depth 176 feet 7 inches, with the right of way over an alley and court binding on said lot on the west-subject to an annual rent charge

of \$66.67.

Terms of Sale: So much of the purchase money in cash as will be requisite to pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue in three equal payments at one, two and thace years from the day of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchasers, with approved security, and the retention of the title until they are paid.
WILLIAM H. PAYNE,

JOHN M. ORR, M. D. BALL, ALBERT STUART, Commissioners of Sale. mh 13-eots

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

OMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.—Pursuant to a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at the December term, 1874, thereof, in the suit of George B. Cochran vs. Benjamin Thomas' widow and administratrix, etc., the subscriber, as commissioner of sale under said decree, will offer for sale at public auction, on THURSDAY, the 15th day of April, 1875, at 12 m., in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., a TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND, in the said city of Alexandria, situated at the southwest intersection of Payne and Cameron streets, in front on Payne street sixty feet one inch, and in depth 123 feet 5 inches, the

same being the premises now occupied and used by James Grigg as a soap factory. Terms of Sale: \$500 in cash, and the residue of the purchase money in three equal payments at 6, 12 and 18 months from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with approved security, and the retention of the title until they are paid.

ALBERT STUART, are paid.

Comm'r. of Sale. mh 13-eots DMINISTRATOR'S SALE .- I will offer A for sale, to the highest bidder, on THURS-DAY, the 25th day of March, (if fair, if not, the next fair day,) at the late residence of William Stonnell, deceased, ALLOF THE PERSONAL PROPERTY of decedent, consisting of Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming Implements, four Mules, one fine young Horse, several Milch Cows, lot of fine young Hogs, one Wagon and a cart with harness, and a large quantity of Hay, Straw and Oats, with other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms; Fifty dollars and under, cash; over

that sum negotiable notes, payable at ninety days, satisfactorily endorsed, will be required. Sale to commence at 10 a. m.

Administrator, with the will annexed, of wm. Stonnell, deceased. mar 13-ts By Green & Wise,

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.] PUBLICSALE OF HAZEL PLAIN, BET-TER KNOWN AS THE "CHINN FARM," NEAR MANASSAS, PRINCE WILLIAM CO., VA.-Under a deed of trust from W. Y. Downman to me, to secure a debt, I shall, as trustee, offer for sale, at public auction, on THURSDAY, the 25th of March, 1875, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House, is the city of Alexandric the Walliam Farm. in the city of Alexandria, the "CHINN FARM," designated in said deed as "Hazel Plain," containing 550 acres, three-fourths arable chockolate colored soil, easily cultivated and productive; the remainder in wood and timber, and the whole well supplied with water. This desirable estate has on it the famous "CHINN HOUSE," a large frame building with eight rooms, a Stone Stable, Corn Crib, and Granery, is conveniently near to Churches, Schools Mills. is conveniently near to Churches, Schools, Mills, and Markets, within five miles of the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R., and in the healthiest section of Prince William county.

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Terms: Cash for enough to pay said debt and the expenses of the trust, and as to the residue, at one and two years, with interest at six per ct. from the day of sale, and secured by deed of trust on the property. Persons desiring information in regard to the property, not furnished above, are referred to Messrs. Green & Wise, of Alexandria, Va. WM. H. FITZHUGH,